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SUBJECT: WTDR/FTI - K T K INC.

REF: STATE 011167

1. KOREA
2. CNTRY CODE: 580
3. SER NO: NA
4. K T K INC.
- 4A. 4B. CODE: A 4C. CODE:
5. MASAN FREE EXPORT ZONE, 975 YANGDUK-DONG
6. MASAN 610, KOREA
7. ESTABL: 1971
8. EMPL: 350
9. SIZE: (20-X) MEDIUM
10. REPUTATION: (22-X) GOOD
11. SELLS ITS PRODUCTS TO JAPAN AS WELL AS DOMESTIC EXPORTERS  
ON LOCAL L/C BASIS.
12. RVPT DATE: 01/76
- 13A. 36741/04 ASSEMBLER AND EXP. OF HYBRID INTEGRATED CIRCUITS,  
AND IC MEMORY.
- 13B. 36790/04 LED WATCH MODULES.
- 13D. 36749/5 IMP. OF SEMICONDUCTOR PARTS.
- V14. CONTACT: MATSUO KAMIYA TITLE: PRESIDENT
15. CABLE: KTK MASAN
16. TELEX: K3559

17. PHONE: MASAN 5-1936/9

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18. FINANCIAL REFS: KOREA EXCHANGE BANK (MASAN BRANCH),

MASAN 610, KOREA.

19. TRADE REFS: ADVANCED MEMORY SYSTEMS INC., 1276 HAMMERWOOD AVE., SYNNEYVALE, CA 14086.

20. FOREIGN FIRMS REPRESENTED: NA

21. FIRM IS 100 PCT JAPANESE FIRM INVESTED BY KYODO ELECTRONIC TECHNICAL LABORATORY, KANAGAWA-KEN, JAPAN (41 PCT) AND TOKO CO., LTD., OSAKA, JAPAN (59 PCT). IT OPERATES ELECTRONICS PLANT IN MASAN FREE EXPORT ZONE, WITH MONTHLY PRODUCTION CAPACITY OF 500,000 HYBRID IC, 100,000 IC MEMORY AND 200,000 LED WATCH MODULE KITS. PRODUCTION OF WATCH MODULE KITS COMMENCED IN LATE 1975. PLANT IS EQUIPPED WITH 80 WIRE BONDERS, 60 PELLET BONDERS, 30 OVENS (200-300 VOLTS), 50 MICROSCOPES, 10 CLEAN BENCH UNITS, AND FOUR KLEAD BENDERS. AS OF 1/21/76, FIRM CLAIMS TO HAVE PRODUCED AND SUPPLIED \$200,000 WORTH OR 13,000 LEC WATCH MODULE KITS TO MIN SUNG ELECTRONICS, LTD. (WTDR 03-74) ON LOCAL L/C BASIS.

FIRM STATED THAT ITS EXISTING CONTRACT WITH MVIN SUNG ELECTRONICS CALLS FOR ADDITIONAL SUPPLY OF \$650,000 WORTH OR 37,000 WATCH MODULE KITS BEFORE 3/10/76. DURING 1975, FIRM EXPORTED \$3,161,726 WORTH OF HYBRID IC AND IC MEMORY TO KYODO ELECTRONIC OF JAPAN. FOR SAME PERIOD, FIRM CLAIMS TO HAVE IMPORTED OVER \$2 MILLION WORTH OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES AND LED WATCH PARTS FROM JAPAN AND U.S.

REGISTERED AS JOINT-STOCK COMPANY, FIRM HAS PAID-IN CAPITAL OF W491.5 MILLION. FIRM'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT, AS OF 7/31/75, SHOWS (IN MILLION WON): CURRENT ASSETS, W401; CURRENT LIABILITIES, W364; NET WORTH, W368; AND NET PROFIT FOR 6-MONTHS, W2.6.

FIRM IS AFFILIATED WITH KOREA TOKO CO., LTD., ALSO 100 PCT JAPANESE FIRM INVESTED BY TOKO CO., LTD. OF OSAKA, JAPAN, MANUFACTURES IFT COILS. KOREA TOKO COV. ALSO OPERATES ELECTRONICS PLANT IN MASAN FREE EXPORT ZONE, WITH MONTHLY PRODUCTION CAPACITY OF \$700,000 WORTH OF COILS. IN 1975, KOREA TOKO CO. EXPORTED \$8,500,000 WORTH OF ITS PRODUCTS TO JAPAN.

COMMERCIAL TRANSACTIONS ON NORMALLY SECURED BASIS.  
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